



Attorney Docket No. 650004.15203

DECLARATION, POWER OF ATTORNEY AND PETITION

As a below named inventors, we hereby declare that:

Our residences, post office address and citizenship are as stated below.

We believe we are the original, first and joint inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled *Saline/Sewage Water Reclamation System*, the specification that was filed on February 23, 2004 as Application Serial No. 10/785,653.

We hereby state that we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims.

We acknowledge the duty to disclose information that is material to the examination of this application in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(a).

We hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 or 35 U.S.C. § 119 (e) of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. § 112, we acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

PRIOR UNITED STATES APPLICATION(S)

Application Serial No.	Filing Date	Status
Serial No. 09/618,337	July 18, 2000	Patent No. 6,695,951

We hereby declare: All statements of our own knowledge are true, and we believe that all statements made on information and belief are true. We make these statements with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. § 1001 and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued on the application.

POWER OF ATTORNEY

We appoint the following as our attorneys with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute said application and to transact in connection therewith all business in the Patent and Trademark Office and before competent International Authorities:

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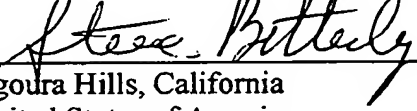
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Wherefore, we pray that Letters Patent be granted to us for the invention or discovery described and claimed in the foregoing specification and claims, and we hereby subscribe our names to the foregoing specification and claims, declaration, power of attorney, and this petition.

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